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## The Modesty of Women

Naturally makes them shrink from the indecent questions, the obnoxious examinations, and unpleasant local treatments, which some physicians consider essential in the treatment of diseases of women. Yet, if help can be had, it is better to submit to this ordeal than let the disease grow and spread. The trouble is that so often the woman undergoes all the annoyance and shame for nothing. Thousands of women who have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription write in appreciation of the cure which dispenses with the examinations and local treatments. There is no other medicine so pure and safe for delicate women as "Favorite Prescription." It cures debilitating drains, irregularity and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures. It is strictly non-alcoholic, non-secret, all its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper; contains no deleterious or habit-forming drugs, and every native medicinal root entering into its composition has the full endorsement of those most eminent in the several schools of medical practice. Some of these numerous and strongest of professional endorsements of its ingredients, will be found in a pamphlet wrapped around the bottle, also in a booklet mailed free on request, by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. These professional endorsements should have far more weight than any amount of the ordinary lay, or non-professional testimonials. The most intelligent women now-a-days insist on knowing what they take as medicine instead of opening their mouths like a lot of young birds and gulping down whatever is offered them. "Favorite Prescription" is of known composition. It makes weak women strong and sick women well. Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound. It is sent by mail, free of charge by letter. All such communications are held sacredly confidential. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate and regulate stomach, liver and bowels.

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## SIX PERSONS PERISH.

A defective flue in the house of S. E. Hamlett at South Boston, yesterday caused a fire which not only destroyed the home, but took the lives of a visitor and five children, the oldest child being 14 years of age and the youngest 18 months.

H. P. Strange, 74 years old, Confederate veteran and a friend of the family, who arrived in the home of the Hamletts yesterday, was among the victims. At 3 o'clock in the morning the family noticed the smoke in the house, according to those who escaped the flames. The members of the household were aroused from sleep and were panic-stricken.

One of the children, a boy, was thrown bodily from a window. The child fell two stories to the ground and both arms were broken. He was internally injured and will no doubt die.

The local fire department was summoned, but could render little help as the flames had already consumed the better part of the dwelling. When it was known that six inmates of the home had not escaped, heroic efforts were made to rescue the old man and the children, but without avail.

Strange was unable to take care of himself. He came to South Boston to attend the celebration of the Fourth, which had been largely advertised. The smoke filled the home and Hamlett was awakened. With his wife and two of the children he made his way to the outer air and was saved. Then it was that the flames licked upward and the hysterical woman screamed and begged someone to save her children.

Men made dash after dash into the flames. The smoke invariably drove them back, until in despair, the crowd stood and watched the building as it finally crashed in, carrying with it the charred bodies of those who had been lost.

## THE FREE TRADERS.

Prominent free traders have issued an appeal to all persons in the United States who agree with them to join in organizing a great free trade party, to prove that the nation is not utterly given over to the protection policy, even if it accomplishes nothing more.

"The apparent acceptance in some degree of the so-called protective policy by the present congressional representatives of both political parties might beguile the impression that our nation contains no men who believe in the absolute and unconditioned freedom of trade between the peoples of the earth," they declare.

Combating such an impression, the signers of the call arraign protection as being responsible for most of the ills of present government. "Protection," they assert, "has not only become the mother of trusts, but, by stifling foreign competition, has granted them a license to prey upon the community."

Instead of bettering the condition of the laboring classes, they charge, protection lessens the demand for labor and leads to a consequent reduction of wages, greatly increases the cost of necessities and thus becomes a powerful agent in dragging down the condition of the wage-earning classes.

Protection is held responsible for swollen fortunes and has become so powerful, they assert, that "it can never be dislodged until the great body of our people are brought to realize its wasteful, sinful, anti-social character."

## VIRGINIA HORSE SHOWS, 1909

Southern Railway begs to announce that low round trip fares have been authorized on account of the following horse shows: Orange Horse Show, Orange, Va., July 28-29. Albemarle Horse Show, Charlottesville, Va., August 3-4. Front Royal Horse Show, Front Royal, August 11-12. Prince William Horse Show, Manassas, Va., August 25-26. Warrenton Horse Show, Warrenton, Va., September 1-2.

For further information concerning rates, authorized, territorial from which applying, dates of sale, limit, etc., call upon nearest Southern Railway agent.

## CENSUS TAKERS.

Concerned over what they consider a possibility that negroes will be sent into the homes of white residents of the South as enumerators to gather information for the thirteenth decennial census, democratic members of Congress will appeal to President Taft to give instructions that only white enumerators be employed in districts south of Mason and Dixon's line. Representatives of the southern states in Congress say they have little hope of preventing the employment of negroes unless the president interferes. The fact that admission to the home cannot be denied to enumerators, white or black, who hold government commissions to gather statistics, serves to aggravate the situation. It is for this reason that the minority has decided to appeal to the president.

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